

Extent of area under different types of Irrigation in Bijapur District.

irrigable area and cost as a result of recent Minor Irrigation fortnight ?

*Q.—618. Sri P. G. SIDHANTI (Muddebihal).—

A.—Sri H. M. CHANNABASAPPA (Minister for Public Works and Electricity).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the area under different types of irrigation in each Taluk of Bijapur District;

(a) *Vide* Statemnt 'A' appended. Information regarding the area under different types of irrigation by the tanks vesting in the Revenue Department will be placed on the table of the House as soon as it is received.

(b) the number of sites (with names) for tanks and bandharas in in each taluk of Bijapur District which were found feasible with approximate

(b) *Vide* Statement 'B' appended.

STATEMENT 'A'.

St. No.	Name of Taluka	Area Irrigated			
		Kharif Acres	Rabi Acres	Hot weather Acres	
1	2	3	4	5	
1	Bijapur	...	30	54	4
2	Bagewadi	...	666	1,003	284
3	Indi	...	71	62	...
4	Bagalkot	...	150	150	31
5	Muddebihal	...	12	26	11
6	Hungund
7	Sindgi	...	300	2,100	...
8	Jamkhandi
9	Mudhol	...	There are no irrigation works with P.W.D.		
10	Badami	...	Do	do	
11	Biligi Petha	...	Do	do	

(SRI H. M. CHANNABASAPPA)

STATEMENT 'B'.

List of minor irrigation works investigated during the minor irrigation fortnight in Bijapur District.

Sl. No.	Name of Scheme	Name of Taluka Area	Approximate benefited (in acres)	Approximate cost	Remarks
	<i>Tanks</i>			Rs.	
1	Kotnal Tank	Indi	500	4.00 lakhs	
2	Kanakanal	do	1,000	9.00 "	
3	Arjnal	do	1,000	9.00 "	
4	Nandral	do	1,200	10.00 "	
5	Tenihalli	do	500	4.00 "	
6	Kadlewad	Sindgi	800	1.50 "	
7	Kundargund	do	1,000	9.00 "	
8	Almel	do	1,000	10.00 "	
9	Somjal	do	1,000	10.00 "	
10	Kudgi	Bagewadi	300	3.00 "	
11	Talewad	do	150	1.50 "	
12	Sulkhed	do	500	5.00 "	
13	Kupgaddi	do	500	5.00 "	
14	Allichandi	do	150	2.50 "	
15	Madakeshwar	Muddebihal	700	6.00 "	
16	Geddalamari	do	500	5.50 "	
17	Shirur	Bagalkot	100	30,000	
18	Hireslinganagutti	Hungund	100	30,000	
19	Parwati	do	100	30,000	
20	Ganjkeri	do	80	10,000	
21	Nandikeshwar	do	60	30,000	
22	Dodda Mahakut	Badami	20 to 30	5,000	
23	Nilgund Tank	do	350	1.50 lakhs	
24	Mamatgeri	do	450	0.75 "	
25	Bellikhandi	do	350	3.25 "	
26	Varachagall	Modhol	200	1.50 "	
27	Basawapattana	do	400	3.00 "	
28	Chickalgundi	do	300	3.00 "	
29	Arakeri	do	900	10.00 "	
30	Yellatti	Jamkhandi	480	3.00 "	
31	Hunshikatti	do	200	0.25 "	
32	Baratgi	Bijapur	1,000	8.00 "	
33	Hebbalhatti	do	700	6.00 "	
	<i>Bandhara</i>				
1	Kendur Bhandara	Badami	100	25,000	
2	Jambagi	Bilapur	300	0.60 lakhs	
3	Yelkundi	do	160	0.35 "	
4	Nagthan	do	300	0.60 "	

*Area comes under the command of G.L.B.C. and hence can serve as a tail tank.

Sri P. G. SIDHANTI.—In this khariff scarcity area irrigable area is very well. Will the Government give preference to these tanks when they are investigated?

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—Government is seriously contemplating to bestow better thought to develop irrigation in this area. Very recently during the minor irrigation fortnight programme, Government has already investigated about 34 tank works and 4 bandara works.

Sri P. G. SIDHANTI.—There are certain tank works and bandhara works in respect of which investigations have been completed and reports have been sent to the Government by the Chief Engineer. Will the Government sanction them early and execute the work early?

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—Government will do its best to sanction them as early as possible if they are feasible.

Sri P. G. SIDHANTI.—There are certain over-tanks which require restoration as well as improvement so that there will be increase in the irrigable area, will the Government take them up early?

Sri M. N. NAGHNOOR.—All steps will be taken to improve those old tanks.

Consolidation of Holdings in Belgaum District.

***Q.—619. Sri P. G. SIDHANTI (Muddebihal).**—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number of villages in each taluk of Belgaum division where consolidation of holdings is taken up and also where the work is complete;

(b) the average period taken to complete the work in a village and what steps have Government taken to lessen the period;

(c) whether they intend to extend the Scheme and, if so, to what areas?

A.—Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA (Minister for Revenue).—

(a) In all 565 villages have been taken up for Consolidation of Holdings

in Belgaum Division, of which the work is completed in respect of 360 villages.

(b) The average period taken up to complete the work ranges from one years to three year depending upon the the size of the villages and upon the number of objections received at various stages from the affected persons.

Additional staff of surveyors has been sanctioned to speed up the work. The question of appointment of Circle Officers who have got attestation powers in place of Circle Inspectors is under examination.

(c) Yes. The question of making the Scheme of Consolidation of Holdings applicable to the entire State is under consideration of Government.

Sri P. G. SIDHANTI.—Is the Government aware that in Bagewadi Taluka of Bijapur District, the consolidation work has gone on for more than nine years, still the work is not complete?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—In respect of 66 villages the work is completed; in respect of 25 villages the work is under progress.

Sri P. G. SIDHANTI.—The works are going on for more than eight years, still they are not complete.

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—Naturally it takes more time as it involves introduction of survey settlement and there will be number of objections from the owners of lands.

Sri P. G. SIDHANTI.—Is the Government aware that the transactions as regards lands in those villages where consolidation work is taken up is held to be void? So, will the Government see that this work of consolidation is completed as early as possible?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—We have sanctioned an additional staff and now the work is stabilised. With the experience gained so far, it is quite possible to expedite the work.

Sri P. G. SIDHANTI.—May I request the Government that the work of consolidation should be finished first and then the new villages to be taken up?

Sri Kadidal MANJAPPA.—I will bear the suggestion in mind.

Mr. DEPUTY SPEAKER.—Question time is over. We shall take up short notice questions.